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MARKED-UP AMENDED CLAIMS

IN THE CLAIMS

15.   (Twice Amended) A computer system [that operates in a active mode and enters an inactive mode in response to a predetermined period of inactivity, the computer system] comprising:

a memory to store a weighted average of brightness corresponding to one or more frames representing a view at different times; and

a processor coupled to the memory to cause the computer system to transition from an active mode to an inactive mode in response to a predetermined period of inactivity and to compare the weighted average of brightness of two frames to each other and [to] cause the computer system to exit the inactive mode in response to the weighted average of brightness of the two frames differing by a predetermined amount.

19.   (Twice Amended) The computer system of claim 16, wherein the processor determines [the] a frame property when the computer system is in the inactive mode and does not determine the frame property when the computer system not in the inactive mode.

22.   (Thrice Amended) A method [of causing a computer system to exit an inactive mode that is entered in response to a predetermined period of inactivity, the method] comprising:

causing the computer system to transition from an active mode to an inactive mode in response to a predetermined period of inactivity;

receiving a first frame corresponding to a view at a first time while in the inactive mode;

determining a weighted average brightness for the first frame;

receiving a second frame corresponding to a view at a second time while in the inactive mode;

determining a weighted average brightness for the second frame; and

causing the computer system to exit the inactive mode if the weighted average brightness for the first frame differs from the weighted average brightness for the second frame by a predetermined amount.